



Increase of Legal Culture is an Important Sign of the Legal State

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Annotation: This article analyzes the inability of a person without legal awareness and legal literacy to properly exercise their rights and freedoms. It is also argued that even the rights and freedoms of a person, guaranteed and protected by the state, can remain for him in a declarative state. Legal education and culture should be at a high level for a harmoniously developed generation. It was revealed that young people with such qualities can build a completely democratic, civil society.

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From the first days of independence in the Republic of Uzbekistan, the main task was to build a strong democratic state of law and a strong civil society. Recognizing that over the past thirty years our country has achieved certain results in building a state of law, it should be noted that we still have a lot of work to do. "Firstly, we have prepared the legal framework. The Constitution of the Republic of Uzbekistan is based on this principle, which determines the basic principles of our society, its political, economic and spiritual directions. We have created a legal framework and changed the entire structure of the state" [2, 135].

When we say "democratic state", we also use the word "legal". With the growth of the political self-awareness of our people today, the word "law" is important for independence and related concepts such as "law and order", "legal awareness", "legal culture", "human rights culture" it becomes more and more important to delve deeper into the essence these concepts.

It is known that law is a set of generally binding norms (a system) that represents the will of the state and protects it by force. Law is, first of all, a set of norms or rules of behavior, more precisely, a structure. In this sense, law actively influences the behavior of people in order to positively direct their activities, establishing or limiting the norm of freedom, imposing and defining duties.

The rule of law is a universal organization that expresses and reflects the will of society, based on the rule of law. The rule of law is a democratic state with a legal and legal state, separation of powers, independence of the judiciary, effective law enforcement, real people's power, a high level of political and legal culture [2].

The rule of law determines the level of development of the state and has the following characteristics:

firstly, legal and comprehensive guarantees of the rights and freedoms of citizens;

secondly, the rule of law and the rule of law;

thirdly, the correct application of laws;

fourthly, the responsibility of citizens to the state and vice versa, the responsibility of the state to citizens; implementation of the principle of separation of powers;

fifthly, the existence of democratic, legitimate and constitutional regimes supported by society.

“The main feature of the rule of law is the equality of all citizens before the law, the supremacy of the Constitution and the rule of law. The principle of the supremacy of the Constitution and laws means that all existing laws and regulations are based on the Constitution and are consistent with it. As our great ancestor Amir Temur said: “Where the law reigns, there is freedom” [5, 125].

Legal culture means the level of legality of society, the level of public awareness of the laws in force, people's commitment to the rule of law and intolerance towards those who do not comply with them.

Legal culture is legal literacy. Raising legal culture is an important sign of legality. In other words, without a legal culture there can be no rule of law. “A high level of legal culture is a sign of a rule of law state. In the context of the formation of a market economy, improving the legal culture is an important task. However, the level of legal culture is determined not by the number of adopted laws, but by the implementation of these laws at all levels. In this important work, it is especially important to instill in people a deep respect for laws and regulations. After all, legal norms live and arise only if they are absorbed into the consciousness of people and act through them” [5, 322].

From the above definitions it can be seen that the rule of law and the legal culture are inextricably linked. Increasing the legal literacy of the population from year to year is the most important factor in building the rule of law.

It is known that in the Republic of Uzbekistan there are such national structures as the Commissioner of the Oliy Majlis for Human Rights (Ombudsman), the National Center for Human Rights, the Institute for Monitoring Current Legislation, the Center for the Study of Public Opinion "Public Opinion" to ensure human rights and legal culture. In addition, special units for the protection of human rights have been created and are currently operating in the Ministry of Justice, the Prosecutor General's Office and the Ministry of Internal Affairs.

The basis for organizing the scale and order was the Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated April 13, 2018 “On measures to further improve the activities of the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Uzbekistan”.

The Development Strategy of New Uzbekistan for 2022-2026 is a historical document, the purpose of which is to turn New Uzbekistan into a country with powerful potential, a worthy reputation, a prosperous and prosperous, peaceful and prosperous country. Every priority of the development strategy, from its name to its essence, is aimed at glorifying human dignity.

Secondly, the Development Strategy defines the rights and freedoms and legitimate interests of every citizen living in our country as the highest value, and a new stage of our national development begins with it. A striking example of this is the Development Strategy, which is based on the new principle "man - society - state".

It should be noted that the views expressed in the Development Strategy of New Uzbekistan for 2022-2026, regardless of the industry and the tasks set, are based on the idea of protecting and fully ensuring the rights of our citizens, enshrined in the Constitution, we understand.

Indeed, the latest reforms in the field of human rights and freedoms in our country are being carried out consistently and systematically, gradually introducing international standards in this area into our national legislation. In particular, it is clear that the norms of more than 80 international treaties in the field of human rights and freedoms, ratified by Uzbekistan, are reflected in our national legislation. In addition, our country has acceded to 6 major UN treaties and 4 optional protocols and regularly submits national reports on their implementation to the UN Human Rights Council and treaty committees.

It should be noted that the tasks set for 2022 - the year of Human Dignity and Active Good Neighborliness - are closely linked to the work ahead. After all, if a person has a high level of legal culture, consciousness, awareness of changes in this area, then the country will prosper.

The prosperity of a country starts from the heart. Because in order to make life prosperous, a person must first of all be wealthy. Life in a prosperous country also helps to improve the legal culture of a person. Improving the legal culture of a person is the main condition for the prosperity of the country. Living in a prosperous country is also a human right.

In this regard, if we focus on the national legal framework, which is directly aimed at improving the legal culture, we can list the following: Constitution of the Republic of Uzbekistan; Decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated June 25, 1997 "On improving legal education, raising the level of legal culture of the population, improving the system of training lawyers, improving the study of public opinion"; Approved by the Resolution of the Oliy Majlis of the Republic of Uzbekistan dated August 29, 1997 "National program for improving the legal culture in society"; The concept "On the fundamental improvement of the system of raising legal awareness and legal culture in society", approved by the Decree of January 9, 2019. The adoption of these documents will serve to raise the work in this direction to a new, higher level.

Thus, from the first days of independence, a solid legal basis has been created for the effective implementation of state policy to improve the legal culture and legal education of the population. It should be noted that in recent years certain work has been carried out to improve the current legislation in this area.

It is no secret that this work is largely connected with the formation of a new sense of justice, legal culture. After all, legal norms live and arise only if they are absorbed into the minds of people and act through them. Therefore, it is important to instill in people a deep respect for the Constitution, laws and by-laws.

The most important thing is that our Constitution, which clearly defines the basic principles of our life, our society and the socio-political, legal, economic structure of our state, our free democratic future based on universal human values, laid the foundation for a rule of law state.

At the same time, given that the level of legal culture is determined not by the number of adopted laws, but by their implementation at all levels, priority is given to the successful implementation of our laws, strengthening control over compliance with regulations.

Of course, in our work on the development of spirituality, legal awareness and culture of our citizens on the basis of national and universal values, the practical experience of implementing the resolution of

January 4, 2001 "On organizing the study of the Constitution of the Russian Federation" was taken into account. Republic of Uzbekistan" bears fruit.

So, this important document, first of all, is the force that will become the most effective weapon for every Uzbek in the process of gradually achieving the great goals we face, overcoming all obstacles and barriers on the way. applies equally to all of us.

The Constitution of the Republic of Uzbekistan determines the legal behavior of every person, citizen. Without knowing it, it is impossible to achieve legal culture. Because, in fact, the Constitution is the foundation for building legal knowledge. The Constitution of the Republic of Uzbekistan is the Basic Law of the Republic of Uzbekistan, which has a stable economy, a free and prosperous life, is respected in the world and is steadily developing along its chosen path of development. With such a perfect legal base, our people will continue to achieve even greater success in all areas.

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